

Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace the paragraphs beginning at page 4, line number 28 as with the following amended paragraphs:

Figure 1 illustrates a perspective view of an illuminated shoe according to the preferred embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 2 illustrates an exploded perspective view of an illuminated shoe according to the preferred embodiment of the present invention of Figure 1.

Figure 3A illustrates a perspective view of an audio/visual shoe according to an alternative embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 3B illustrates an exploded perspective view of an audio/visual shoe according to [[an]] the alternative embodiment of the present invention of Figure 3A.

Figure 4A illustrates a bottom-up perspective cut-away view of an audio/visual shoe according to [[an]] the alternative embodiment of the present invention of Figures 3A and 3B.

Figure 4B illustrates an exploded bottom-up perspective cut-away view of an audio/visual shoe according to [[an]] the alternative embodiment of the present invention of Figures 3A, 3B, and 4A.

Figure 5 illustrates a cut-away side view of an audio/visual shoe according to [[an]] the alternative embodiment of the present invention of Figures 3A, 3B, 4A, and 4B.